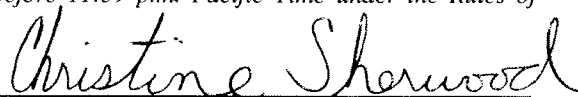


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On page 2 of the Office action, the Examiner states that this application contains claims directed to the following species:

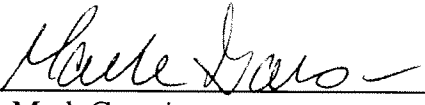
Group I : Figs. 1-6 (Claims 1-12)  
Group II : Figs. 7-15 (Claims 13-21)

Applicant elects Claim Group II (Figs. 7-15, claims 13-21) for further prosecution.

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Consideration and allowance of this application are respectfully requested.

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